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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE **BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re

Benoit AMBROISE, et al.

Application of:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT

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Serial No.:

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December 11, 2000

Docket: 10244

Examiner: Hai VO

For:

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Porous Biaxially Oriented High Density

Polyethylene Film With Hydrophilic

Properties

Group Art Unit No.:

Date: February 21, 2003

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

I hereby certify that this Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and [X] Interferences is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (Fax No. 703/872-9311) on February 21, 2003.

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Applicant(s) hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated December 3. 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-9.

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